

# PUBLIC LEDGER



FOURTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., THURSDAY, JANUARY 31, 1895.

ONE CENT.



LARGEST IN THE CITY.

## Fancy Business!

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value of \$10,000,000 in advertising "notices" free more than a merchant can afford to pay for his goods or shoes. A newspaper is a legitimate business concern, doing stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

## The Continued Call

upon This Ledger for free notices has been so burdensome that we are forced to publish the following terms:

## For Notices of Sales,

newspapers, fairs, or other public enter-tainments where there is a fee charged, and for ordinary notices, resolutions of recognitions, &c., pay **TWENTY FIVE CENTS A LINE**, and hereafter this will be the invariable rule. This, however,

## Does Not Include

notices of Lodge meetings or Church services, which must not exceed ten lines.

## Advocacy of Disputes.

Misunderstandings are unpleasant. The rate for **Business Leads** in This Ledger is **Twenty-five cents** for insertion and 5 cents for a line for subsequent insertion. There is a fine-line inserted in the paper. "I'll tell you when to take it out," he says, "and when to leave it in, and for gets all about it." The notice runs for two weeks, and the charge is \$15.00. When he finds it out there is a **"will" to be filed**. He, however, is always by my feeling. Now to obviate this trouble, no "will" need be filed, and the notice will have a definite date at the outset. The insertion will be pleasant all around.

**All** notices for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning each day.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a trip, please drop a note and effect.

W. H. Hord of Helens was in the city yesterday.

Miss Kate Clare is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Johnson, at Bedford, Ind.

Mrs. J. T. Harahan of Chicago is visiting her mother, Mrs. Nora Reho of this city.

E. C. Dinnitt of Germantown was in the city yesterday on professional business.

Fire Insurance—Duley & Baldwin.

J. H. Pfau, baker, assigned at Ashland. Assets not stated.

Amos Kelley, aged 81, died a few days ago at Johnson Junction.

Frankfort is to vote on a proposition to build brick streets in that city.

Squire Isaac Bloom, one of Winchester's oldest merchants, is dead.

A line of beautiful new Veiling just received by Mrs. L. V. Davis, Zweigart Block.

The Court of Appeals has affirmed the case of Fuller vs. Martin, taken up from this city.

J. L. McCoy, a former resident of Greenup, is now Superintendent of Schools in Bell county.

The total assessed property of Fleming county, after being passed upon by the Board of Equalization, is \$4,804,579.

In the midst of life we are in debt. If you owe THE LEDGER anything we'll be pleased to trade our best autograph for cash.

**Europa.** We have it. The sole agency for Joseph R. Peebles Sons Co.'s fine old Wines, Whiskies and Brandies at Cheno's with Druggists.

Charles Hansen, a superior barber, has taken the shop in White's Building, Second street, and will be glad to have his friends call on him.

The Religious Edict made the "grand vault" at Second and Lower streets last evening, taking off Colonel Charles B. Pearce's brickyard, damaging his right leg and Sunday pants, and breaking the Seventh Commandment beyond hope of repair. It has all been charged up to the Democratic Administration.

Squire E. Foxworth, one of the most respected citizens of Mt. Carmel, well known in this city, died Monday, aged 73. He leaves a widow and six grown children and what is better than wealth, an unnamed name. "Squire" was his Christian name, and not a title, for though often impudent, he never sought or held an elective office. Peace to his ashes.



TRUTH IN VERSE.  
This poor creature beats 'em all—  
It's in its nature to do so.  
Most foolish that do some talkin'  
Know what they're talkin' about.

But then there chaps in Congress,  
They're mighty hard to beat;  
'An' every time they take a drink  
The country has to treat!

They don't know they're a-splainin',  
Nor what they're talkin' about;  
It's talk'n talk'n take a walk,  
An' the devil take care o' you!

—Atlanta Constitution.

## MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect for the Next Twenty-four Hours.

### THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

Wind strength—FAIR;

Black rain or snow;

With Black above—TWILL WARMER GROW.

If Black beneath—COLDEN' TWILL

Unless black's shown—no chance we'll see.

The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening.

We respectfully invite the reader to compare these with any other daily newspaper in all Kentucky.

17 any one can find a daily paper printed in the Ninth Congressional District that has

A Larger Circulation, or More Original Small Master,

we will pleasure ourselves presenting him with a year's subscription to THE LEDGER.

And this paper is furnished at same price as inferior ones.

Coverton & Co., drygoods, assigned at Portsmouth.

Charlie Bauder rejoices over another son and heir.

Moses Hull of this city got a renewal of his pension.

Professor Ephriam W. Smith died at Lexington, aged 75. Interment at Highginston, O.

Mr. J. W. Fitzgerald of this city has shipped some of his fine stock to Chicago to be sold there.

Mr. W. K. Starcer of Pomeroy, O., and Miss Della Bonham of Syracuse, O., were married by Judge Hutchins.

The many friends of Mr. James B. Wood are glad to know that he has recovered entirely from his late severe illness.

The Mason County Teachers' Association and Reading Circle will meet February 9th at the office of Superintendent Blatterman at 7:30 a.m.

William Stapleton, First Mate of the Bonanza, is at his home in Aberdeen, recovering from the effects of a fall down stairs on the last trip of the boat.

Dr. Harry Savage of Nevada, Mo., who has been visiting in this vicinity for some time past, is seriously ill at the home of his father near Germantown.

Judge Bradley has granted a mandamus requiring Pension Commissioner Lorchner to restore the pension of \$72 a month to Judge Charles D. Long of Michigan.

A "Half Hour Talk on the Bible" by the Rev. E. B. Cade, will be found on the fourth page of this day's LEDGER, and they will appear in this paper hereafter on Monday's, as long as the "Talks" continue.

While playing with a butcher knife yesterday a little son of C. A. Richmond the grocer nearly severed one of his thumbs, only a small tissue of flesh remaining. Dr. W. S. Y. Yazzel sewed the parts together and hopes to save the thumb.

The Winchester Democrats' "Prowler" is responsible for this good story, told on a Powell county preacher, who had two appointments, one at the North end of the district and one at the West end, and he announced not long since that on the following Sunday there would be services at 10 o'clock a.m. at the North end, and at 2 o'clock p.m. at West end, and baptizing of children at both ends.

For Sale.

Two bench and three-bench sleds, Dumb Carts, Brake Carts, Wagons and Drays.

DONOVAN & SHORT.

A complete Set of Magistrates' Blanks.

Applies at once at

Ledger Job Printery.

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decreed that the season of 1895 shall begin April 18th, one day earlier than the playing began last year.

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## MAKE TRAVEL FREE!

### LET ALL THE PEOPLE HAVE EQUAL BENEFITS!

The advocacy of free turnpikes in Mason county is nothing new with THE LEDGER.

Captain John Wheeler and a party of friends from Cincinnati for the past week have been up in Fleming county for the purpose of helping to build and construct roads in repairing up and in repairing in cases where, by Section 2 hereof, it is to keep up and in repair, the said County Court shall have power to levy and collect an ad valorem tax upon the taxable property of said county as returned by the Assessor for state purposes, to be collected by the Sheriff or Collector to the same as the county may have paid over by him to the County Treasurer; a failure to do which shall subject the Sheriff or Collector to the same penalty as a failure to collect and pay over the county levy as required by law, said tax to be one-half per cent, and to be paid out to the County Treasurer at such sum as the said County Court may direct; his compensation to be fixed by the Court of Claims, not exceeding one-half of 1 per cent.

**SECTION 4.** That any turnpike road company having a turnpike road, or a portion of same, in Mason county, is hereby authorized and empowered to accept a sum of money in lieu of the tolls collectible at any tollgate thereon, or to lease same. No tolls thereafter to be collected for traveling on said turnpike or portion of same.

**SECTION 5.** That in order to keep up and in repair such turnpike roads, or portions of turnpike roads, as the County Court may have to keep up and in repair under the provisions hereof, the railroad, three Commissioners to be elected every two years, three Commissioners to be appointed by the Turnpike Commissioners of Mason county, and to have general supervision of the keeping up and in repair of such turnpike roads, or portions of same, as the County Court may have to keep up and in repair under the provisions hereof, shall be entitled to receive from the railroad a sum of money to be paid to them by the railroad, bear complaints and transact such other business as they may have on hands. In cases of emergency they may meet often. As compensation for their services they shall receive \$2.50 per day whilst so engaged. They shall choose one of their number to act as Chairman, to whom all moneys to be paid for the keeping up and in repair of turnpike roads, or portions of same, shall be paid, who shall give bond with sufficient security, agree to faithfully discharge same. He shall pay same out as the three Commissioners may direct, and every year settle with his accounts with the Presiding Judge of the County Court, which settlement shall be recorded in the order book of the Mason County Court. Any vacancy occurring during the term of office of the Presiding Judge of the County Court until the next session of the Court of Claims, shall be filled by the Presiding Judge of the County Court, which settlement shall be recorded in the order book of the Mason County Court. 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**Subscribers who fail to get The Ledger regularly will receive a refund of the fact AT THE OFFICE.**

**AMERICA FOR AMERICANS**

**MCKINLEY AND WILSON ABROAD.**

In 1890 William McKinley was burned in effigy in the English manufacturing city of Sheffield; but in 1894 William L. Wilson was dined and wined in London because he is the author of a Free-trade Tariff Bill. These are significant facts.

GROVER scrapes the fog out of his eyes and calls for such—

“effective action as will restore confidence in our financial soundness and avert business disaster and universal distress among our people.”

Say, GROVE, if you will ship your “team of wild asses” to Honolulu, send CARLISLE as Paramount Commissioner to Hog Island, just John SHERMAN in the Treasury, and go to Buzzard’s Bay or the Devil yourself, the American people will do the rest.

**GROVER’S PAINFUL DILEMMA.**

THE DISCORDANT DEMOCRACY RAPIDLY SENDS ING THE COUNTRY TO THE DEVIL.

## General Gazette.

The President’s bond message is before Congress.

Substantially it is the plan of the New York Chamber of Commerce, reduced to message form.

Hand in hand with the message is a new Springer currency bill.

In its present form the Springer Bill provides for the issue of fifty year 3 percent gold bonds, in denominations of \$20 and \$50, and multiples, for the redemption and cancellation of the legal tender and Treasury notes; for authority to National Banks to issue notes up to the par value of bonds deposited; for the cancellation of bank notes under \$10; for the retirement of silver certificates above \$10, their replacement by silver certificates under \$10; and, finally, for the payment of debts in gold. The amount of bonds contemplated will be five hundred millions.

The President recognizes the seriousness of the situation. It is to no purpose now to recall the mistakes and blunders of the past. It is a situation that confronts the country, and it is a grave situation.

But no fair view of the situation can overlook the temper by Congress. One is compelled to ask himself what there has been in the handling of Congress of either the Tariff or the silver question—yes, and the currency question. The President is going to meet with success in his plan of relief. We must confess that for our part we see no reason to expect any relief along the lines advocated by Mr. Cleveland. Rather do we look for angry wranglings, prolonged debates, ending in nothing, but greater Democratic demoralization. The message will act as a red flag on the ultra-silver men—and all the while Rome is burning.

The failure of the two bonds issues, the one of January and the other of November, is clearly set forth by the President, and he expresses doubts of the ability of the country to place another of the same size.

But if Congress is unwilling or unable to agree on the new administration measure, what will Mr. Cleveland do? Two or three courses are open to him. He can—

1. Betake himself once more to the bond plan which he has twice tried, and now discards.

2. He can send in another message, urging immediate legislation to secure a greater revenue.

3. He can fall back on an extra session.

4. He can stick to his bond scheme, and let the rest go by the board.

Under the white canopy of 1 and 3, he will endeavor to carry his new plan through.

But in any case action must come at once. Four and a half millions of gold were ordered yesterday for shipment today and tomorrow; the gold reserve is at its lowest point, and money is up to 3 percent.

The very last words of the President show that if Congress does not act, he will.

A suit brought in St. Louis for the value of a colt estimated at \$18, cost \$1,000, including the attorneys’ fees of both sides. While the suit was pending the colt died.

## Women Are Martyrs

to neuralgia, headache and nervousness—many men suffer also—Mrs. VILLA H. MAPP, White Plains, Ga., was broken down in health when she began taking

## Brown's Iron Bitters

In a unsolicited letter (June 20, 1894) she writes: “I was broken down in health and suffered from extreme nervousness, and severe neuralgic pains affected different parts of my body; sometimes the dreadful pain would be in my eyes and head, sometimes in my hands and neck. I took many remedies, but found none like Brown’s Iron Bitters. I take them every year since I often praise it to others.”

## It's Brown's Iron Bitters you need!

Look for crossed Red lines on wrapper.  
BROWN CHEMICAL CO., BALTIMORE, MD.

## SPRINGER BILL

It is Accepted After Numerous Amendments,

And Will Be Called Up in the House Probably Monday.

The Measure Seems to Be Strongly Supported by the Banking and Currency Committee—Amendments to the Bill Are Seven in Number.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The administration banking bill introduced by Mr. Springer, of Illinois on Monday last, and referred to the Senate finance and banking and currency committee has devoted the better part of two days, will be reported to the house without recommendation on Friday of this week, with the amendment proposed by the committee seven in number. Two eliminate sections 4 and 5 of the bill and the others are additions to it.

The favor with which the measure was received by the committee was evidenced by the vote of the preparation made at a late hour Wednesday afternoon by Mr. Cox, of Tennessee, to substitute the Carlisle bill with the state bank feature eliminated, as a substitute for the Springer bill. The 12 children members present, but four, Black (Ga.), Cobb (Tenn.) and Hall (Mo.), voted in the affirmative.

Still more emphatic was the protest against the motion that the bill be referred to the house with the recommendation that it do not pass. But three members (Cobb, of Alabama; Black, of Georgia, and Hall, of Missouri) supported this motion.

The Springer bill, as it stands, will be reported for consideration without recommendation was carried 10 to 3, the latter vote being cast by Cobb, of Alabama; Black, of Georgia, and Hall, of Missouri.

The bill will probably be called up in the house on Monday next.

## RIOTING AT RIO.

Military Cadets in Open Rebellion Against the Government.

New York, Jan. 31.—The Herald’s special cable from Buenos Aires says word comes from Rio Janeiro that troops are camped in the public squares, and are patrolling the principal streets, especially the Rue Quilombo, to protect the foreign legations.

The cadets of the military school are in open revolt, and the cavalry regiment of the line is preventing their exit from the school. The cadets, with their guns, and Ex-President Peñaloza’s friends have other munitions of war.

Loud cheers were given for Peñaloza by the marines who were landed from the ships to help the troops preserve the order. Gen. Peñaloza is recovering from his recent illness, but is still at Rio Springs.

A meeting of the army officers with the chief of police has been held to devise measures for the protection of the city.

Reverers for the Whisky Trust.

Cuban, Jan. 31.—The Whisky Trust has been placed in the hands of receivers. Judge Grosscup, of the United States court, on the application of three comparatively small stockholders, appointed a receiver to take care of the \$35,000,000 Distillers’ and Cattle Feeding Co. The appointment was made Monday evening at the residence of Judge Grosscup, on Grand boulevard. The young man spent nearly \$2,000 in putting up a works that would bring fame to any city. It is owned and will be controlled by Youngstown men who have a great deal of capital invested in other local iron industries as well and who have practically made the city what it is today. The steel plant will be a benefit to the city in many ways. Roughly estimated the pay-roll will amount about \$40,000 a month. Most of this amount, of course, will be spent on wages and salaries.

The plant was brought to a new town, known as Steelton. It is almost assured that within a year 300 or 400 houses will be erected near the works and these houses with the lots they will occupy will be listed at about \$600 each, so that exclusive of the city the township will be increased about one-half.

Judge Grosscup is to be the receiver.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Replying to the critics of his proceedings in the appointment of receivers for the whisky trust, Judge Grosscup said: “I am not a lawyer, but E. F. Lawrence receiver of the \$35,000,000 Distillers’ and Cattle Feeding Co. The appointment was made Monday evening at the residence of Judge Grosscup, on Grand boulevard. The young man spent nearly \$2,000 in putting up a works that would bring fame to any city. It is owned and will be controlled by Youngstown men who have a great deal of capital invested in other local iron industries as well and who have practically made the city what it is today. The steel plant will be a benefit to the city in many ways. Roughly estimated the pay-roll will amount about \$40,000 a month. Most of this amount, of course, will be spent on wages and salaries.

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John Smith, John Hale, John Petty and John Brite are the main men affected at Steelton. The office of Town Marshal is vacant, but the Fordville Star has its eye on a man whose name is John to fill the position.

## Through Cars to California.

From St. Louis daily Pullman Palace Buffet and Pullman Tourist Sleeping Cars to Los Angeles and other California points without change via Iron Mountain, Texas and Pacific and Southern Pacific Railways. Call collect, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The True Southern. —

No high altitudes; free from ice and snow. Forming an ideal winter way to the land of sunshine, fruit and flowers. For map folder, time-card, tourist book and full information, call on or address N. R. Warwick, D. P. A., 131 Vine street, Cincinnati, O.

**Beware of Ointments For Catarrh That Contain Mercuric Sulphur.**

Mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mouth. It is also a powerful irritant and may be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do to tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them.

Judge Taft Wednesday morning appointed the Union Savings Bank and the City of Cincinnati receiver for this district of the Distilling and Cattle Feeding Co. of Illinois. This appointment is a direct turn-down of President Greenhut and the Chicago crowd, and will surprise those gentlemen about as much as their bold move of Tuesday surprised the unpreparing stockholders in all parts of the country.

A Receiver at Terre Haute.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Jan. 31.—On application of the Terre Haute Distilling and Cattle Feeding Co., Dr. J. C. Beasley, ex-Mayor J. C. K. Kolsom was appointed receiver of the Distilling and Cattle Feeding Co. about one o’clock Wednesday morning, by Judge Taylor, of the circuit court. What effects the changes will have on the receiver are yet to be determined. The Terre Haute is a matter impossible to determine this early in the fight.

Fell Into Hot Acid.

WHITING, Ind., Jan. 31.—While Jas. A. Gill, superintendent of the Standard oil acid plant was at work on the acid tank, he slipped and fell backward into a pan of hot sulphur acid, burning the flesh from his hands and back. His condition is critical.

Saved from Death.

MURKIN, Ind., Jan. 31.—During a fire last night, Mr. Nixon, at New Corner, saved his family by carrying them out of the house in their night clothes, but everything else burned, pocketbook and all.

Sold by Druggists, price 5c. per bottle.

## SHERMAN SPEAKS.

To the Senate to Do Its Whole Duty.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—“I beg the congress of the United States to unlock the door of the senate finance committee, and dismiss the members from the further consideration of this question, and encourage the senators to take up and pass a bill to increase the revenue of the government at once.” These words fell from the lips of Senator John Sherman, as he closed a remarkable speech at the Senate Wednesday on the financial condition of the treasury. Senator from Ohio did not talk long, but his words were full of wisdom and sound advice. He had not spoken one minute before the world got abroad that Sherman was to speak on finance, and he was soon seated in the Senate chamber filled, and the democrats for once in their life did not interrupt the senator, and he went smoothly and serenely on. He stood in the aisle beside his desk and looked over the floor of the democratic side, and oft and anon shook the long index finger of his right hand at them. He spoke less than half an hour, but it was a great one for the senator.

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## LOST AT SEA.

Steamer Elbe Collides With Another Steamer and Sinks.

Three Hundred and Seventy-Eight Lives Supposed To Be Lost.

**Only Twenty-One Persons, One a Woman, of the Passengers, Officers and Crew, Known to Be Saved—All Occurred Inside of Twenty Minutes.**

**LONDON.** Jan. 31.—The little fishing smack Wildflower, sailed into the harbor of Lowestoft, on the east coast of England, Wednesday afternoon, with a handful of survivors, who were all that remained of a ship company of nearly 400 souls, who sailed twenty-four hours before from Bremen bound for New York. Few of the great tragedies of the sea have been more terrible than the fate of the crew of the British dories who went down in the North Sea Wednesday morning in the wreck of the steamer Elbe. The disaster left the grand jury taken a record time to make its report. Before adjourning the court was adjourned to the Es-Jalter Hotel, where the hanging of Blair in any way whatever, whereupon the court ordered him released from custody. Best's friends are not in the best humor on account of his imbecility, and he is reported to bring suit against the County Judge O'Rear for issuing the warrant.

Detective Drake and his associate have left the city, and it is reported that they have abandoned further search for the missing. The coroner, however, clearing Dwyer with murder, was continued, and a writ was issued for Ratliff, who swore out the warrant, but who failed to put in his appearance before the court.

A trial date will be made Thursday to get a trial for young Roach, who is indicted for the murder of Blair. At this juncture the indications justify the prediction that no other arrests will be made in the case.

Judge Conner is highly indignant over the way in which the other officials of Ms. Sterling have tried to prevent a full investigation of the Blair lynchings. He said that the political connections of those indicted were the cause of the trouble, and he believed that nobody would be punished for the murder of Blair.

The judge bitterly denounced the many lies which he alleges have been told by those who over the years have denied his declaration that when he killed himself directly after the war he did so in self defense.

The friends of Detective Drake expect him to be called to the bar to defend him in his investigation any further.

He has been called to the collision.

The boat which struck the liner remained for a few moments wedged in the great rent which she made, but the sea soon tore the two ships apart.

The smaller one, having damaged almost entirely, drifted ashore, did not even leave with what ship she had been in collision.

She was the Scotch steamer Crathie, of Aberdeen, 475 tons.

Last Wednesday evening she crawled into the harbor of Maas-Luis, neutral port.

It was quickly realized on board the Elbe that her woman was mortal and that she could not long survive. Then followed one of those awful scenes which is repeated in a large ship's compass of sunburnt faces and faces with death. At first there was some attempt at discipline. The captain and first officer gave clear orders, which were heard by all, that the women and children must enter the boat first. This was plain body that the ship was doomed, and terror in many cases became madness. The crew at first worked with efficient self-possession, but it soon became apparent to all that the ship was foundering.

Then arose the wild cry. "There are not boats enough." Little discipline remained after that moment. There were scenes and struggles to escape at the expense of others. The first to be heard by any survivor was the captain's command that women and children should go to the opposite side of the ship from that where the damage was, and where most of the boats were being got out. The women who had been doused were quickly filled with men and women, but capsized before it got ten yards from the side. One young woman in this boat clung to it until picked up by the steamer Elbe, which was the only one known to have been in the wild scramble at the very last only men, and all but four of these were officers and crew, secured places. An officer who happened to be dressed and on deck within a moment of the collision, says the time was less than twenty minutes from the striking of the blow till the ship disappeared.

Following is the list of passengers of the Elbe:

First-class—Fritz Appel, Munich; Hugo Becker, Chemnitz; Director Baumann, Berlin; Mrs. Herman Singer, Falmouth; Mr. Anton Fischer, Washington; John B. Steele, St. Charles; Mr. Connor, Sioux City; Mrs. C. Connor, South Dakota; Henry N. Castle, Honolulu; Dorothy Castle, Honolulu; Mrs. Klipfel, Brandenburg; Louis Thewitt, Vienna; Messrs. Schnell, Dauenh, Indeheen, Brandenburg; Domingo Furio, Guatemala.

Second-class—Mrs. Louis Kahn, New York; Jake Frank, Buffalo; August Schlegel, Cleveland; O. E. Smith, St. Louis; Miss Sophie Rhodes, Washington; Eugenie Rhodes, Washington; Carl Hoffmann, Grand Island, Neb.; Mrs. Anna Hoffmann, Grand Island, Neb.; Henry Hoffmann, Grand Island, Neb.; Edward Mackay, Eugene; George G. Eperjesi, Mrs. Lookhart, New York; Peter Pomiroski, Kasanitz; Miss Clara Weingartner, Fehlinghen; Mrs. Andrew Briebach, Amsterdam; Andrew Vattier Keyes, Amsterdam; Julius Lederer, Berlin; Adolphus H. Lederer, New York; Ernst Massberg, Lonsdale; Kurt Kleinshmidt, Helene, Mont. Carl Nussbaum, Berlin; John Gertler, Vienna; Winaona, Minn. Simon Schwelicher, Berlin; Rudolph Nissel, Leipzig; Dr. Dietrich, Leipzig; H. Hart, Leipzig; Dr. Jan Vevera, Cleveland; O. Kvetko Mor, Leipzig; Frank Miskolczi, Leipzig.

Rescued Passengers—Carl Hoffman, cabin, Nebraska City, Neb.; Eugene Schleifer, cabin; Jan Dverer, cabin; Charles A. Miss Van Bueren, cabin; — Rothen, steerage.

Rescued Officers—Th. Stollberg, third officer; A. Neusel, first engineer; W. W. Effer, purser; Scutelius, Linker and H. H. H. Kober, chief steward; Kober, chief steward; Fuerst, stoker; Weingartner, Singer, Breslow and Boettig, seamen; Dehdars, German pilot; Greenham, English pilot.

Want Gold Standard.

**Louisville, Ky., Jan. 31.**—The business men of Louisville, in mass meeting Wednesday morning, adopted resolutions calling upon congress to require the president to issue a proclamation that by one standard of value, and that by common consent of all nations is gold.

### COOPER'S TALK.

The Judge Declares Nobody Will Be Punished for Blair's Death.

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Nature Gas Explosion.

LEBANON, Ind., Jan. 31.—A natural gas explosion took place in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Clegg, Lebanon, Wednesday afternoon.

The house, which is occupied by a widow, was completely destroyed.

The explosion occurred at 11 o'clock.

At 11:30 a. m. the gas company sent a man to repair the pipe.

At 11:45 a. m. the gas company sent another man to repair the pipe.

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#### INTRODUCTION.

There is a lot of information known to the Specialist which should be given to the common people—those who have not time for critical examination. The teacher ought to be a specialist, but he does not always know his subject well enough to enter to the people, when he is moved by no higher incentive than to utter platitudes and draw his salary. He should keep abreast of the growth of knowledge in his special field. There is indifference in the pew, because the old dress is out of fashion. It looks uncomely. The cry is given us something fresh, free from the mold of the ages. Post your knowledge to date.

The purpose of these lectures has been in my mind for some time, and the one purpose is for instruction. The views set forth may seem hasty and revolutionary, and the tendency destructive of faith. All education and re-reading shuns the old things. The ship confronts two dangers: if she leaves port, she may go down in the storm; if she remains in port she will rot tied to the wharf.

R. Huber Newton says the controversy over the Bible in Protestantism may be summed up in the question, "Whether the Bible is the word of God, or contains the word of God?" I stand by the book of Homilies,"—it is in it contained God's true word."

The number of persons are rapidly increasing who cannot hold the traditional view of the Bible. Many of these do not yet realize that there is a view which is held while they are not even mentioned. If the old way—the traditional way, is the only way to read the Bible, then the number who read it sincerely will still decrease. If we can not read it without a denial of the latest discoveries then the coming generation will grow up without it.

This idolatry of book worship should never have been forced upon us, and history but repeats itself. The destruction of idols meets with stubborn resistance. The superstitious reverence is responsible for a lack of rational reverence. Let us survey the field, walking in the light of today.

These words from Dean Stanley, in "History of the Jewish Church," are most significant: "The Bible and the reading of the Bible, as an instrument of instruction, may be said to have begun on the day when Ezra unrolled the parchment scroll of the Law. It was a new thought that the Divine will could be communicated by a dead literature as well as by a living voice. In the impassioned welcome with which the thought was received lay the germs of all the good and evil which was afterwards developed out of it; on the one side the possibility of appeal in all successive ages to the primitive, uniting document that should rectify the fluctuations of false tradition and fleeting opinion; on the other hand the temptation to pay to the dead worship as blind as it was profane, to the spirit as it had been the vegetation paid to the sacred trees or the sacred stones of the consecrated groves or hills."

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Question Eighth.—Did the translators who gave us our English Bible have the original books just as they were written?

No; only copies made hundreds of years afterwards. It is not probable that those who made the oldest Greek manuscripts ever saw a copy of the original autographs. They did not copy, copies, many times. The original manuscript is known to be back of the year 100 A. D. The oldest part of manuscript, the Prophet Codex, goes back to the year 916 A. D. Both of these are in the Imperial Library at St. Petersburg.

The old manuscripts have no vowels; a sort of shorthand. Each reader supplied them to suit his own fancy, hence we often get some fanciful literary feats. A sample of this is in Genesis xvii, 31, as given in Hebrews xi, 21, where Jacob is said to have "Worshipped on the top of his staff." The blunder could be easily made for the consonants "bed" and "wife" in the Hebrew.

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